



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Title: METHOD FOR REFORMING ORGANICS INTO SHORTER-

CHAIN UNSATURATED ORGANIC COMPOUNDS

REQUEST TO REOPEN PROSECUTION

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Request is in reply to the notice dated June 7, 2010. The divisional application referred to in the notice has been examined and the pending claims have been indicated as allowable. As such, the Applicants request merger of claims from the divisional application to the instant application.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 5.